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## **EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT**

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Eugene Rzucidlo on April 16, 2008.

The application has been amended as follows:

In the specification,

**Page 12**, Line 16, "can be found in the" has been deleted;

Line 17, "claims 10 to 14", and the further claims 15 to 26"

Has been deleted;

Line 22, "can be seen" has been deleted;

Line 23, "from claim 29 to 31 and the claims 32 to 38 relate" has been changed to - -relates- -;

Lines 26-27, "Further advantageous embodiments of the invention are set forth in the further claims 39 to 51." has been deleted.

## Conclusion

2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Jermie E. Cozart whose telephone number is 571-272-

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4528. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday, 7:30 am - 6:00

pm.

3. If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's

supervisor, David Bryant can be reached on 571-272-4526. The fax phone number for

the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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Primary Examiner, Art Unit 3726